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## Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Stephen M. Brinich.

(3) Tom Lees.

(2) Dean Taylor.

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Date of Interview: 20 August 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 12.

Identification of prior art discussed: Ishigami et al (US 5933184).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant discussed significance of "process direction" (vertical direction) as opposed to scan direction (horizontal direction) correction of Ishigami et al. Applicant discussed significance of "warping a bitmap image ... prior to writing said bitmap" as opposed to timing modification of Ishigami et al.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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